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Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 583

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between Messrs. STEPHENS & HOLMES having expired on the 31st March, 1884, I have this Day REMOVED my OFFICE to No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, opposite Pudding's Street.

MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS.

Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 572

### NOTICE.

MR. CHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES is authorized to Sign our Name by Procuration, in Hongkong, from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 24, 1884. 528

### NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between Messrs. STEPHENS & HOLMES, Solicitors, terminated on the 31st March, 1884, and the Undersigned will continue to practise in his own Name at No. 24, Queen's Road, adjoining the Hongkong Dispensary.

HENRY J. HOLMES.

Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 573

## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

C. L. THEVENIN'S WINE AND SPIRIT STORE has, from this date, been temporarily REMOVED to No. 4, Pudding's Hill.

Hongkong, March 26, 1884. 542

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE FOURTH and FINAL CALL of 210 Sterling per Share on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this CORPORATION, will fall due on the 31st DECEMBER CURRENT, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS entitled to NEW SHARES, are requested to Pay, at the respective OFFICES, the above Call or its equivalent in the Currency of the above-mentioned places.

PROVINCIAL CERTIFICATES are being issued in Exchange for the First Call Receipts, which are to be surrendered to the Bank. Holders of PROVINCIAL CERTIFICATES, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed.

The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is fixed at 3/8d. or \$53.93 per Share. Interest at the Rate of 7 1/2 per Annum will be charged on Calls unpaid on the 31st DECEMBER.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1121

## Intimations.

### TO THE RESIDENTS OF HONGKONG AND VICINITY.

I BEG to give Notice that on the 31st March, 1884, I TRANSFER MY DENTAL PRACTICE to Dr. HERBERT POATE, a Graduate of the Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery, Philadelphia, U.S.A., 1873.

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I can not only recommend Dr. POATE as a skilful operator, but his fidelity and integrity can be fully relied upon in the pursuit of his profession. He has also brought with him all the best and latest appliances.

I am yours faithfully,  
G. O. ROGERS.

Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 578

### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will be held at the Bath House on TUESDAY, the 9th April, at 6 p.m., to consider the Resolution which has been circulated among the MEMBERS of the CLUB.

J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 557

### WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER.

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COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been instructed by THE "SANTITAS" COMPANY, LIMITED, of London, with the exclusive SALE of the MANUFACTURES of HONGKONG, MACAO, and CANTON, and has to inform the Public that the said Company will not accept Indents from the above-named places unless received through the Undersigned.

E. F. DE SOUZA.

Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 315

### HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS.

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GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor.

Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 368

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Hongkong, January 31, 1884. 189

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24th September, 1883. 611

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Hongkong, March 12, 1884. 447

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Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 467

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VICTORIA EXCHANGE, Hongkong, March 18, 1884. 487

## Intimations.

### THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE.

MR. SAMUEL J. GOWER has this Day been appointed SECRETARY to the above Company.

By Order of the Board of Directors, E. R. BELLIOS, Chairman.

Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 568

### HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. THOMAS ARNOLD will act as Secretary of the above Company until further Notice.

E. R. BELLIOS, Chairman.

Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 346

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A. MEYER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 465

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China during the Tsin Dynasty, A.D. 364-419.

Su Tai's Apologue of the Bitter and the Sweet.

Notice of New Books and Literary Intelligence.

Notes and Queries—On some Chinese Words. The Wood of the Tea Boxes. Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c. To Contributors.

Hongkong, March 29, 1884.

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Hongkong, January 15, 1883. 118

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Hongkong, January 23, 1884. 143

## THE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON.

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Hongkong, October 3, 1883.

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Hongkong, June 18, 1883. 1270

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Hongkong, December 20, 1883. 1177

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Hongkong, March 25, 1884. 536

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, the 5th April, 1884, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Poddar's Wharf Buildings, A VERY LARGE AND FINE SELECTION OF JAPANESE PORCELAINS & CURIOS, comprising—

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TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, March 31, 1884. 563

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 7th April, 1884, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, THE BALANCE OF SUNDY CURIOS, &c., belonging to

the Estate of Dr. A. H. VON DER HORST, comprising—

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Hongkong, December 1, 1883. 1043

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I. MARTIN,  
Acting Agent.  
Hongkong, March 27, 1884. 548

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Company, No. 56A, Queen's Road Central.  
F. E. FOSTER,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 574

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Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
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Crew of the following Vessels, during  
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Agents for the above Corporation are  
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## Mails.

**THE CHINA MAIL STEAMSHIP  
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MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.  
STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE,  
VIA ISLANDS AND  
HAMA AND COREA.  
(Taking Cargo and Passengers for YOKO-  
HAMA AND COREA.)

THE S. S. TAKACHIO MARU, Capt.  
N. Y. N. N. here on or about the  
7th instant, will be despatched as above  
on FRIDAY, the 11th April, at 4 p.m.  
Cargo received on board and parcels at the  
Office up to 1 p.m. of day of sailing.  
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2  
Freight.  
All Claims must be settled on board  
before delivery is taken, otherwise they  
will not be recognized.  
Cargo and Passengers for Yokohama  
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail  
Steamer at Kobe, and for Corea at Nagsaki  
and/or Kobe.  
For further Particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office, Prince's Central, Ground  
Floor of Messrs Russell & Co.  
H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 579

## Insurance.

THE STRAITS-INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company are  
prepared to grant Policies on MARINE  
RISKS to all parts of the World, at current  
rates.  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.  
Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 855

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above  
Company, are authorized to insure  
against FIRE at Current Rates.  
GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of  
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms  
and Conditions.  
Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.  
For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 100

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## To-day's Advertisements.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT).  
The Co's Steamship  
Emeralda, will be  
dispatched for the above  
Port TO-MORROW, 4th Inst., at 5 p.m.,  
instead of as previously advertised.  
Manila Cargo will not be received after  
Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, April 3, 1884. 580

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,  
VIA SINGAPORE.  
(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEEN-  
SLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo  
to NEW ZEALAND, through Passage  
Tickets granted to PORT MOHESBY,  
NEW GUINEA.)  
The Steamship  
Wooling, Captain HUNT, will be  
dispatched as above on  
SATURDAY, the 26th instant, at 4 p.m.  
This Vessel has unusually good Cabin  
Accommodation, situated amidships, upon  
the upper deck.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 3, 1884. 592

PUBLIC AUCTION  
OF  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-  
tions to sell by Public Auction, on  
THURSDAY,  
the 10th April, 1884, at 2 p.m., at the  
Residence of W. P. Moore, Esq., No. 19,  
Wyndham Street—  
THE WHOLE OF HIS  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,  
comprising:—  
SOFAS, CHAIRS, MARBLE-TOP TABLES,  
PIANO, PICTURES, DINING TABLE, MIRRORS,  
GLASS PLATED and CHROME-WARE, BED-  
ROOM FURNITURE, WARDROBE with PLATE  
GLASS DOOR, &c., &c., &c.  
The above will be on view on Wednesday,  
the 9th instant.  
G. R. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, April 3, 1884. 593

TO LET.  
N. O. 25B, PRAXA CENTRAL,  
Nos. 3, 7 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE,  
No. 7, GARDEN ROAD (known as 'HAR-  
PERVILLE').  
No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.  
Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, April 3, 1884. 599

STEAM FOR  
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,  
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAÏD,  
MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR,  
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,  
PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;  
AND  
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND  
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills  
of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN  
GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,  
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK  
AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship  
THAMES, Captain W. D. ANDERSON, with  
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched  
from this Port TO LONDON, via BOMBAY  
and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the  
15th April, at 4 p.m.  
Cargo will be received on board until  
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.  
Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office  
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.  
Sils and Valuables for Europe will be  
transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General  
Cargo for London will be conveyed  
via Bombay without transhipment, arriving  
one week later than by the ordinary direct  
route via Colombo.

For further Particulars, regarding  
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the  
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-  
GATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.  
The Contents and Value of Packages are  
required to be declared prior to shipment.  
Shippers are particularly requested to  
note the terms and conditions of the Com-  
pany's Black Bills of Lading.  
N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-  
sengers for MARSEILLES.

A. MAYER, Superintendent.  
Hongkong, April 3, 1884. 591

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Francisco Reyes, Spanish steamer, 517,  
A. Cardoqui, Manila March 30, Hemp-  
RABEROS & Co.  
April 3:—  
Diamante, British steamer, 514, F. T.  
Stack, Manila March 31, General—RUS-  
SELL & Co.  
Kauyung, British steamer, 674, M.  
Young, Foochow March 30, Amoy 31, and  
Swatow April 2, General.—DORRIS  
STEAMSHIP CO.  
Moray, British steamer, 1,427, Duncan,  
Yokohama Feb. 28, and Shanghai March  
30, General.—ANDERSON, BRIDG & Co.  
Yamato, British barque, 461, J. Buick,  
Callao Jan. 11, Scrap Iron.—BARREY, DAL-  
RYMPLE & Co.  
Carondelet, American ship, 1,670, Station,  
Nagasaki March 28, Cont.—M. B. M. S.  
S. Co.

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